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Patent Attorney's Docket No. <u>003510-103</u>

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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AF
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Keitaro AOSHIMA)	Group Art Unit: 1752

Application No.: 09/904,511) Examiner: Amanda Walke) Filed: July 16, 2001) Confirmation No.: 2268

For: PLANOGRAPHIC PRINTING PALTE
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AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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[]	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
[]	A Terminal Disclaimer and the [] \$55.00 (2814) [] \$110.00 (1814) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.
[]	Also enclosed is/are
[]	Small entity status is hereby claimed.
[]	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$385.00 (2801) [] \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
	[] Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments <u>not</u> be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.
	[] Applicant(s) previously submitted, on, for which continued examination is requested.
	[] Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

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[]	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)
	(1809/2809) is also enclosed.

- [X] No additional claim fee is required.
- [] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

		AMENDED	CLAIM	8	
	No. Of CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	ADD'L FEE
Total Claims	18	MINUS 20 =	0	× \$18.00 (1202) =	
Independent Claims	2	MINUS 3 =	. 0	× \$86.00 (1201) =	
If Amendment adds m	ultiple depend	lent claims, add \$29	00.00 (1203)		
Total Claim Amendme	ent Fee				
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[]	A check in the amount of \$	is enclosed for the fee due.	
[]	Charge \$to Deposit Account N	o. 02-4800.	
The	Director is hereby authorized to charge any	appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.1	6,

1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: